GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
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PROJECT ON CHECKING INCREASE OF CARBON IN ENVIRONMENT
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any project of Madhya Pradesh to check the increase of carbon in the environment is lying pending with the Government;

(b) if so, the details and the cost thereof alongwith the reasons for its pendency;

(c) whether the developmental works regarding water conservation, plantation, biogas, solar energy are also included in this project;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) by when a final decision is to be taken in this regard and project approved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) to (e): In accordance with the requirements of Kyoto Protocol, the Government of India has set up a National Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) Authority to consider proposals for grant of Host Country Approval. In respect of Madhya Pradesh, two projects, namely, "Energy-efficient Furnaces for Rebaking and Graphitisation" and "3.00 MW Biomass based Power Project" relating to "Energy Efficiency" and " Renewable Energy" respectively have been received for grant of Host Country Approval by the National Clean Development Mechanism Authority. The meetings of National CDM Authority are held at periodical intervals to consider projects for grant of Host Country Approval.